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## OUTLOOK IS GLOOMY

PROSPECTS OF PEACE ENVOYS  
CONCLUDING A TREATY AP-  
PEAR VERY SLIGHT.

## BOTH SIDES ARE OBDRATE

JAPS INSIST UPON DEMANDS  
WHICH THE RUSSIA'S DE-  
CLINE TO GRANT.

Portsmouth, N. H., Aug. 18.—The crisis in the peace conference has been reached and pessimism is again the note.

But the darkest hour is just before the dawn and there is still hope. Predictions of a final rupture on Friday certainly will not be justified unless Baron Komura, figuratively, picks up his hat and announces that it is useless to proceed further. M. Witte at least will not be precipitate. At Friday's session, after Article 11 (the limitation of Russia's sea power in the far East) and Article 12 (fishing rights for Japan on the Russian littoral) are disposed of he will favor an adjournment until Monday to hear the last word from St. Petersburg.

The pessimism prevailing is based upon the fact that no progress was made Thursday. The exchange of views at the morning session on Article 9 (remuneration for the "cost of the war") showed at once that the plenipotentiaries were as far apart as the poles and it was passed over.

### Both Sides Were Cautious.

Article 10 (the surrender of the interned Russian warships) was also passed, not in the opinion of one of the plenipotentiaries, because it could not have been arranged, but because, with the shadow of the two main points in dispute hanging over the conference, both sides were cautious and preferred to postpone it to the end. Article 11 (limitation of sea power) is also adjustable after modification, and Article 12 will present no difficulties. So that Thursday night the situation was practically what it was when M. Witte last Saturday presented the Russian reply with its non-possessum to Articles 5 and 9 (indemnity and Sakhalin).

The only chance now is compromise—Russia to yield Sakhalin and Japan indemnity. Neither will yield both and perhaps Japan at the final show of hands will yield neither. M. Witte, under the imperial indications contained in the instructions given him before he left St. Petersburg, can agree neither to pay war tribute nor cede a foot of Russian soil. St. Petersburg, therefore, in the last resort, remains to be heard from. Doubtless this is the reason why M. Witte favors a postponement Friday over Sunday. Baron Komura probably will welcome an adjournment of two days in order that he also may lay the situation before his government for its final decision.

### Sudden Revival of Pessimism.

The sudden revival of deep pessimism Thursday night was induced by the report given out when the plenipotentiaries returned to the hotel that no progress had been made. But to those on the inside that was not surprising. Things have gone smoothly enough, only the impasse had been reached—there had been the glint of cold steel in the conference chamber. And the few words M. Witte said to the foreign newspaper correspondents, were, as usual, not encouraging. He looked tired and said nothing had been accomplished.

"Tomorrow," he said, "we will finish Articles 11 and 12."  
"What then?" he was asked.  
"Then we will go to dinner," he replied as he excused himself to go to dine at Assistant Secretary Peirce's.

No very great hope was vouchsafed in the Japanese camp. "We are not bluffers," said Mr. Sato, and from an authoritative source the Associated Press correspondent received a distinctly bad impression regarding the outlook. It was coupled, however, with an expression of the hope that if it developed that the conference was going to pieces, President Roosevelt might again step in.

### The Japanese View.

The Japanese view was explained as follows:

"We came asking only what we wanted. Our terms were moderate. The world thinks so. It looks bad. I say so. I believe so. But the conference may yet be saved from shipwreck. M. Witte has been gracious. He has done what he can, but he has a future at home to consider."

A very important conference occurred in M. Witte's rooms shortly before midnight. There were present Baron de Rosen, the other Russian plenipotentiary, and the five Russian delegates. It is the first time a full meeting of plenipotentiaries and delegates has been held since the con-

ference began. The preliminary discussion of the Japanese conditions is already virtually ended. It is not probable that the final report and recommendations of the Russian plenipotentiaries was passed upon and transmitted Thursday night to the emperor at Peterhoff.

It can be stated that the individual views of the members of the Russian mission differ as to what point should be yielded if a compromise is to be offered. Some favor the surrender of Sakhalin, others an indemnity. None are ready to give up both points.

It is learned that during the conferences the Japanese plenipotentiaries several times manifested a sort of desire to couple the consideration of the disputed points. This might indicate a willingness to bargain at the end. The Russians watched these moves with great interest, waiting for their adversaries to press them, but without showing their hands.

Mr. Sato is quoted as saying that the Japanese will Friday propose again taking up the articles which have been passed over. If that is the case the Japanese may have decided to openly propose joint consideration.

### BARON HAYASHI CONFIDENT.

Says Pessimistic Reports Are Not Worthy of Consideration.

London, Aug. 18.—Baron Hayashi, Japanese minister to Great Britain, declares that the pessimistic dispatches from Portsmouth were not worthy of consideration.

"If the war continues," said he, "our forces will capture Vladivostok and Harbin, taking by force territory of greater value than the payments demanded by Japan, after which our army will entrench an advantageous line, from which it will require treble the number of enemy to dislodge us."

"We do not fear the threat proclaimed in inspired articles that the war will become popular in Russia. Even if it should, how can the vast army necessary to drive us back be sustained by a government that is unable to obtain foreign loans, while its attempts at home meet with only partial success and famine and disaffection threaten the country? The inspired dispatches contend that the Russian people would not suffer a sacrifice of Sakhalin, but the retention of Sakhalin by Japan is greater point of honor to the Japanese. It was once an integral part of the Japanese empire, while it has never been more than an outpost province to Russia."

Baron Hayashi said that plenipotentiaries on both sides possess full power to conclude peace and that the ratification of the terms would only be a matter of formality. He added that he has been receiving full advices of the proceedings daily.

### TERMS NOT STRONG ENOUGH.

Oyama and His Generals Believe They Are Too Lenient.

London, Aug. 18.—The Daily Telegraph's Tokyo correspondent says that there is a distinct change in the feeling in influential circles there. He says peace prospects are considered excellent. A strong memorial to the throne, the correspondent adds, has been received from Field Marshal Oyama and all the generals at the front, strenuously advocating the imposition of stronger terms.

### UNDER AN ASSUMED NAME.

Suicide Reveals the Fact That He Lived for Many Years.

Philadelphia, Aug. 18.—Confessing that he had lived under an assumed name for a quarter of a century and revealing the fact to his family and friends that he was related by blood and marriage to prominent and wealthy people of Pittsburgh, Joseph Thompson of this city Thursday swallowed cyanide of potassium, laid himself on a bench in Fairmount park and died. His body was found by a man who was strolling through the park. Near him on the bench lay two letters which, in part, told the story of his life. The man's name was supposed to be Joseph A. Thomas, but the letters revealed that his right name was Thompson, and that he had married and reared a family under the name of Thomas.

The mystery surrounding the man's alleged double life has not yet been cleared up by the police, and they believe that only the brother mentioned in the note to the wife can throw light on the case.

Thomas, or Thompson, was about fifty-five years of age. He married Kate Spangler of this city twenty-five years ago, and the couple had four children. He had been out of work for the better part of the past three years.

Mrs. Thomas is prostrated as a result of the tragedy and the revelation that followed.

### Train Wrecked in St. Paul.

St. Paul, Aug. 18.—The Great Western Limited, the Chicago Great Western Chicago train, which left the union depot at 8:30 o'clock Thursday evening, was wrecked by a sand slide at Annapolis street, resulting in the injury of Engineer T. Kennedy and Robert Heath, the express messenger. Some thirty passengers, who were thrown in a heap, were bruised but none seriously.

## H. F. MICHAEL CO'S Daily Store News

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### Remember our new Departure

After September 1st we will close our store at 6 o'clock except Saturdays and pay nights. Kindly keep this in mind and assist us in our effort to shorten the hours of our sales force.

## PLUNGES INTO RIVER

EXCURSION TRAIN LOADED WITH  
NEGROES DASHES THROUGH  
AN OPEN DRAW.

## FIFTY PEOPLE ARE DROWNED

NEARLY ONE HUNDRED OTHERS  
ARE HURT, THE MAJORITY OF  
THEM SLIGHTLY.

Norfolk, Va., Aug. 18.—Owing to the inability of Engineer J. L. Reig to control his airbrakes, an excursion train from Kingston, N. C., bound to this city, plunged through an open draw over the Western branch of the Elizabeth river eight miles from Norfolk Thursday afternoon, and fifty persons, mostly negroes, were drowned. Up to a late hour at night only seven bodies had been recovered from the wreckage. The list of injured, so far as can be ascertained, numbers nearly 100, though most of these are slightly hurt. A large number of physicians from this and nearby cities have gone to the scene.

Among the victims, the only white ones were Edward Joffe, manager of the excursion, and Edward Forbes, who assisted him, both of Greenville, N. C.

The train, consisting of the engine and six coaches, plunged through an open draw of the bridge at Bruce station, the engine and one coach being completely submerged in about sixteen feet of water and the second coach partly submerged.

It is believed that every person in the first car perished, none having yet been accounted for. With the exception of the train crew and the promoters of the excursion, all aboard were colored. The engineer, fireman and conductor escaped.

Collins Ferguson, the colored bridge tender of the Atlantic Coast line, was knocked from the bridge by the impact and was drowned.

### Specific Orders Ignored.

The train was running at a rate of fifteen or twenty miles an hour as it approached the bridge. The specific orders of the road to stop all trains at the bridge whether the draw is open or not was apparently ignored. The train plunged into the abyss. Both engineer and fireman discovered the open draw too late to stop the train. The air-brakes were applied but did not work properly.

The scene following the wreck was one of indescribable horror, with the shrieking of men, women and children who were drowning, struggling out of the partly submerged coach and floating in the river. The passengers who were uninjured immediately started to rescue those imprisoned in the cars. Norfolk and Portsmouth were communicated with and physicians were sent out on a wrecking train.

Many people in the neighborhood went to the scene of the wreck and helped in the rescue. The injured were taken to the track embankment and were attended there by the physicians.

The engine is completely submerged, not even the smokestack being visible. The car that was next to it is also submerged completely, and the dead can be gotten from it only by diving under the car.

### STRIKE CHIEF OPTIMISTIC.

Says Great Northern and Northern Pacific Are Hard Pressed.

St. Paul, Aug. 18.—Regardless of the silence still observed by the Northern Pacific and Great Northern roads with reference to what they would call the "late" strike of their telegraphers President Perham, chief of the operators' order, reassured that the strike is progressing satisfactorily on both roads.

"From Fargo to the coast," he insisted, "the Northern Pacific is tied up. There are no more than two or three operators working on each division. The situation is almost as good on the Great Northern."

The railroads have nothing new to announce concerning a matter that they consider closed.

### SECRET SERVICE MEN AT WORK.

Investigating Recent Jail Deliveries in Wisconsin.

Chicago, Aug. 18.—Government secret service men are said to be making a thorough investigation into the jail deliveries in Wisconsin, where postoffice safeblowers have obtained freedom. From three Wisconsin jails, at La Crosse, Madison and Janesville, four of the most notorious safeblowers in the country have escaped. The escapes, it is said, were effected by the aid of Chicago women whose identity the police are endeavoring to ascertain.

### One Hundred Lives Lost.

Sydney, N. S. W., Aug. 18.—Confirmation of the report that the Marshall islands were visited by a hurricane and tidal wave on June 30 has been received here. One hundred lives were lost.

### Two Killed by a Live Wire.

Calro, Ill., Aug. 18.—John F. Mocklock, a merchant, and Oscar Reynolds, a negro, were killed by an electric wire Thursday. Mocklock came in contact with a live wire in an ice box, and the negro tried to release him.

### Kills Her Sweetheart and Herself.

Hutchinson, Kan., Aug. 18.—Mrs. Media Wells, a widow, Thursday night shot and killed William Burch, to whom she was engaged to be married, at her home in this city and then committed suicide. Burch, who boarded with Mrs. Wells, was killed as he lay asleep on a couch. No cause is known for the shooting.

### Gives Birth to Seven Children.

Honolulu, Aug. 18.—A dispatch by wireless telegraph from Hilo says that Hana, the Hawaiian wife of Kailua, a Chinese, gave birth to one child last Thursday, two on Sunday, one on Monday, two on Tuesday morning and one on Tuesday night.

## MORE PLAGUE CASES

YELLOW FEVER IS STEADILY  
SPREADING IN NEW ORLEANS  
AND VICINITY.

New Orleans, Aug. 18.—The official yellow fever report up to 6 p. m. Thursday is as follows: New cases, 77; total cases to date, 1,223; deaths, 4; total deaths to date, 180; new sub-foci, 14; total sub-foci to date, 262; number of cases under treatment, 427. Aside from the fact that the systematic work of the federal authorities and the full compliance by the local physicians with Dr. White's request for the report of every suspicious case, again developed a stout total of new cases of yellow fever Thursday, the local situation continues to give satisfaction.

The announcement by the scientists and sanitarians that the clear water of backyard cisterns is the favorite breeding place of the stegomyia has aroused considerable demand for the destruction of the cisterns at the earliest practicable moment and led to a petition to the water and sewerage board asking that body to give precedence to the water system in pushing its plans to completion. The board replied that a modern water system would be inadvisable in advance of the completion of the sewerage by reason of the fact that with 65,000 houses using many times as much water as at present there would be a much larger flow of water into the gutters and the saturation of the soil would be vastly increased, so that with cisterns abolished, the mosquito would still find large opportunities for breeding.

### The Gateway to the Gulf.

The discovery of nearly a dozen cases of yellow fever at Mississippi City, on the gulf coast, within three miles of Gulfport, and the fact that Jackson has tied up the Gulf and Ship Island road by the declaration of a quarantine against the entire Mississippi coast, leaves New Orleans the only avenue open to the gulf coast towns. Alabama has on a tight quarantine already against these towns.

The most important news outside of the city came from La Fourche parish, where Dr. Stark reports widespread infection in the Leeville settlement at the mouth of bayou La Fourche. There are probably 100 cases of sickness there.

Dr. R. B. Leach of Minnesota made an address Thursday night in the St. Charles hotel on his arsenization theory. Dr. Leach is disappointed at the failure of the medical fraternity to co-operate with him in his experiments. Doctors here unite in the opinion that arsenization will render no one immune to yellow fever. Meantime thousands of people here are daily eating arsenic.

### Messenger and Money Missing.

Chicago, Aug. 18.—Gus Bobbs, a messenger employed by the drygoods house of Charles A. Stevens & Bros., has disappeared with \$10,000 of the firm's money, and a reward of \$500 has been offered for his capture.



# THE DAILY DISPATCH.

BY INGERSOLL & WIELAND.

E. C. GRIFFITH, City Editor.

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FRIDAY, AUGUST 18, 1905.

## LOCAL NEWS NOTES.

I. N. Hatfield was in the city last evening.

George C. Mann left for Minneapolis this afternoon.

Miss I. Russell left for Bemidji this afternoon.

Dr. Reid left for his home at Deerwood this afternoon.

G. M. Lukens, of Aitkin, was in the city today on business.

Attorney L. E. Lum, of Duluth, is in the city today on business.

Mrs. E. H. Simmons returned from a visit at Staples this afternoon.

Miss Ina Parks came up from St. Paul this afternoon for a visit.

H. W. Reeves, of Minneapolis, has been in the city for a few days.

W. B. Jones, of Sylvan, was in the city on business this afternoon.

W. A. Barrows, of Deerwood, was a guest in the city this afternoon.

Prof. F. E. Woodward, of Deerwood, was in the city today on business.

Mrs. Chas. Moores returned from a visit in Little Falls this afternoon.

John Gabiou is home from the south visiting with friends and relatives.

H. Jones came in from Annandale this afternoon for a few days visit.

Attorney F. E. Ebner, of Aitkin, was in the city today on legal business.

M. J. Reilly returned from a business trip to the twin cities this afternoon.

Mrs. Hitchcock left for Bemidji this afternoon after a few days visit in the city.

J. C. Moore, of Bemidji, came down from the north this afternoon on business.

J. L. Smith and son, Lindsey, left for the former's farm north of here this morning.

Miss Amell, of Bemidji, who has been visiting in the city, left for her home this afternoon.

Frank Carney, an old machinist who worked at the N. P. shops, arrived here today to go to work.

Dr. J. L. Fredrick left this afternoon for his old home at Waseca where he will visit for several days.

Will Koop is much better today and it is expected that he will be able to be out again in a short time.

Mrs. O. P. Erickson returned this afternoon from an extended visit in the southern part of the state.

J. C. Jamieson and son, Earl Jamieson, returned this afternoon from an extended visit to the coast.

John M. Hemmingway and H. C. Hemmingway, of Hampton, Ia., arrived in the city this afternoon on legal business.

Mrs. E. P. Kuhl arrived in the city this afternoon from southern Ohio where she has been visiting for some time.

Work has commenced on the foundation of the new building to be erected just east of the National hotel on Laurel street.

George Spears, the billiardist, arrived from the south this afternoon and will give an exhibition tonight at the Mann parlors.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. McCullough will celebrate their silver wedding this evening at the beautiful home on Fourth street north.

H. H. Harrison, who has been in the city for some time gathering data about the water works system, left for his home in Stillwater this afternoon.

Mrs. Burns, of Berlin, Wis., who has been visiting in the city with her brothers, Mayor Con O'Brien and P. D. O'Brien, left for home this afternoon.

E. S. McMaster, manager of Mr. C. P. Walker's theatre at Grand Forks, and connected with the Grand Forks Herald, died suddenly on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Atherton left for Smiley this afternoon and expect to return tomorrow, having broken camp where they spent most of the summer.

Mrs. G. W. Bester and daughter, Miss Gladys, left for their home in St. Paul this afternoon, after a pleasant visit with the former's sister, Mrs. J. B. Williams.

Mrs. Alderman entertained a company of young people last evening at a very swell dinner in honor of Mrs. Earl Benjamin, her daughter, who is visiting here from Minneapolis.

Little Miss Maude Williams entertained a number of young friends yes-

## END OF STRIKE IS IN SIGHT

President Perham Wires Men Asking if They Wish to Continue the Fight

### GREAT NOR. OFFERS MORE PAY

To Operators if They Will Go Back to Keys—Vote is Being Taken Today

SPECIAL TO THE DAILY DISPATCH:

St. Paul, Aug. 18.—President Perham, of the telegraphers union, stated today that he had wired the operators on the Great Northern and Northern Pacific asking them whether or not they desired to continue the fight. A vote will be taken today. He declared the Great Northern had offered its operators more money to go back to their keys, and he thought the men would at once return. Operators on the Northern Pacific he said would probably stay out on a strike.

terday afternoon in honor of Miss Gladys Bester, of St. Paul, who has been visiting in the city.

The Young People's Society of the Norwegian Lutheran church will meet at John Dillans, out in the country, on Thursday evening, August 24th, unless further notice is given.

The Ladies' Aid of the Lutheran church will give an ice cream social at the church lawn on Seventh street south, on Tuesday evening, August 22. All are are cordially invited to attend.

In the initiation of the class of 12 candidates into the ladies auxiliary of the A. O. H. Mrs. S. R. Adair had charge of the team work and great credit is due her for the manner in which she handled the class.

Kaley Dreskell, of Chicago, formerly a resident of this city, a son of William Dreskell, who was in the jewelry business here and leader of the band, arrived from the east this afternoon for a visit with old friends.

### HAPPY WOMEN.

Plenty Of Them In Brainerd, And Good Reason For It.

Wouldn't any woman be happy. After years of backache suffering. Days of misery, nights of unrest. The distress of urinary troubles. She finds relief and cure? No reason why any Brainerd reader should suffer in the face of evidence like this:

Mrs. J. H. Zellers, of 915 Main St., Brainerd, Minn., says: "I believe that after what Doan's Kidney Pills did for me they will help anyone similarly troubled. Before using them I suffered for six months from my kidneys. There was a miserable feeling of pressure over those organs and the secretions were scanty. Besides this there was a heavy pain across the small of my back. A box of Doan's Kidney Pills were gotten at a drug store and I took them with the result that they acted like a charm. I can truthfully say that I have not had a symptom since."

On October 28, 1904, six years after giving the above statement, Mrs. Zellers says: "I am just as glad to recommend Doan's Kidney Pills today as I was in 1908. I have not had an attack of kidney trouble since I used Doan's Kidney Pills, and must give them credit for a permanent cure."

For sale by all druggists. Price 50 cents. Foster Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no substitute.

Have you a picture to frame? See D. M. Clark & Co. 241tf

### Forest Fire in Utah.

Ogden, Utah, Aug. 18.—A fire of enormous proportions is raging in the mountains northeast of this place, covering an area of many miles. Many thousands of dollars' worth of timber have already been destroyed and the flames are spreading rapidly.

Foley's Kidney Cure makes the diseased kidneys sound so they will eliminate the poisons from the blood. H. P. Dunn & Co. mwfwlm

Trunks, grips and harness goods at D. M. Clark & Co.'s.

### A WILL'S PRAYER TERM.

Young Man Must Attend Mass Regularly to Get Big Estate.

Before he can inherit his father's estate John T. O'Connor, stage electrician at the Orpheum theater, in Kansas City, Mo., must give up the theatrical business and attend mass every Sunday morning. If he does not comply with the conditions he will be cut off without a cent, says a Kansas City special to the Chicago Record-Herald.

Such are the terms contained in the will of Patrick O'Connor, father of John T. O'Connor, filed recently in the probate court.

The estate consists of 30,000 shares of Victoria copper mining stock, two lots in Decatur, Ill., and the O'Connor home. The aggregate value is \$35,000. If the son refuses to quit the theater the estate is to go to other relatives. O'Connor expects to be able to dodge the theater clause of the will, but is willing to go to mass.

## MUSIC AND DRAMA.

"THE CHAPERONS."

The company that will present Isidore Witmark's comedy-opera, "The Chaperons", at the Brainerd opera house next Tuesday evening, Aug. 22, is said to be one of the best singing organizations in America. It is under the auspices of Isidore Witmark, of the famous music publishing family. Mr. Witmark is noted as one of the most lavish and liberal of all the producers in this country. Before "The Chaperons" made its advent, Mr. Witmark laid out the entire scenic and costume scheme of the piece, with the result that Joseph Physioc, the scenic artist, developed two stage pictures that are marvels of beauty and spectacular effect, while the costume sketches which came from the celebrated poster artist, Archie Gunn, and which were faithfully duplicated by Mr. Witmark's wardrobe department, are most stunning examples of the modiste's art. But it is in the organization of the company where Mr. Witmark's musical taste shows most plainly. The first qualification demanded in a member of the company has been voice, histrionic ability and personal appearance, although absolutely necessary, were, so to speak, secondary considerations. The company presenting the piece this season is equipped with a complete new set of scenery and costumes. Prices \$1.50, \$1.00, 75 and 50c.

MR. THAYER IN "SWEET CLOVER."

The above named artist will be seen in the beautiful play mentioned in this city on Thursday evening, Aug. 24. Mr. Thayer claims to be in "Sweet Clover" in more ways than the one suggested. He is in "Sweet Clover" this season more than ever, because the theatre-goers of the better class, whenever he has appeared with his popular play and clever company, have demonstrated by their increased attendance and warm approval of his work, that both the play and himself have grown in the esteem and admiration of the public. He also feels that he is still in more "Sweet Clover" because he has with him, as the leading member of his company, and the interpreter of the beautiful, but exacting, part of "Lois", the very handsome and accomplished Miss Gertrude Bondhill. This talented lady, during her short career upon the stage, has been fortunate in having had the opportunity to appear before so many of her friends and admirers in the south in so short a time. This has, no doubt, been of the chief encouragements she has received, and, as the lady herself states, has stimulated her to put forth her best efforts in her work and study. The result of it all is that today Miss Bondhill is worthy of being placed in the same category with such artists as Julia Marlowe, Viola Allen, Miss Crossman and even with Mrs. Fiske. Miss Bondhill will be seen with Mr. Thayer and a clever company on the production of "Sweet Clover", as above stated, and her many friends and admirers will then have the opportunity to witness the rapid advancement she has made in her chosen profession, and at the same time see and hear one of the brightest, cleanest and most wholesome comedy dramas that was ever written.

Foley's Throat and Tar positively cures all throat and lung diseases. Refuse substitutes. H. P. Dunn & Co. mwfwlm

Just received, a car of wire and nails. Get our prices. D. M. Clark & Co. 241tf

### SHOULD BE LESS STRINGENT.

Exclusion Laws Criticized by Speakers in Transmississippi Congress.

Portland, Ore., Aug. 18.—That the better classes of Chinese are discriminated against to an unwarranted extent, that a less stringent administration of the exclusion law, or, if necessary, a limited reconstruction, is advisable, was urged by the speakers on Oriental trade at the second day's session of the Transmississippi Commercial congress Thursday.

These ideas were brought out with especial force by Hon. John Barrett, United States minister to Columbia, and by Theodore B. Wilcox, president of the congress. Mr. Wilcox asserted that it would be better to even admit a limited number of Chinese laborers into the United States to satisfy China. The Oriental markets have been developed by the expense of almost a quarter of a century's labor by manufacturers of the Pacific coast, whose efforts would be nullified if the boycott against American products is successful.

"America is in no position to act in an independent manner, as this country produces nothing that the Chinese want which cannot be obtained from other nations," said Mr. Wilcox.

Mr. Barrett, during the course of his address, emphasized the point that it is not the exclusion of coolie labor which the Chinese are remonstrating against. The boycott is a remonstrance because the sons of noblemen, refined and well-educated gentlemen, are held in detention quarters by unwise immigration officials at our ports of entry for a period of ten days at a time, and compelled to herd with the lowest classes of their countrymen during that time.

Awnings! Awnings! Awnings! at D. M. Clark & Co. s.

## CONCLUDES ITS WORK

RECIPROCITY CONFERENCE AT CHICAGO FORMS A DUAL TARIFF LEAGUE.

### CUMMINS THE CHIEF ORATOR

IOWA'S GOVERNOR HURLS DEFERENCE AT THE ENEMIES OF RECIPROCITY.

Chicago, Aug. 18.—The reciprocity conference called to devise means of bettering the trade relations between the United States and foreign countries finished the work Thursday for which the meeting was called; arranged for a committee to prosecute the plans of the convention and formed a permanent organization styled as the American Reciprocal Tariff league. The committee, which will consist of fifteen members to be appointed by the chair, was given full power to organize and promote the work for which the convention assembled.

The resolutions adopted advocate a maximum and a minimum tariff as a means of relieving the situation with which this country is confronted and suggest that such reciprocal concessions be arranged by a permanent tariff commission, to be created by congress and to be appointed by the president.

The principal speaker at Thursday's session was Governor A. B. Cummins of Iowa, who, in a speech full of fire and eloquence, hurled defiance at the enemies of reciprocity. Mr. Cummins brought the audience under his spell, and except when interrupted with uproarious applause, he held full sway for three-quarters of an hour.

### Fight Before the People.

Governor Cummins in his speech urged a fight before the people in behalf of reciprocity, but advocated the principles of protection.

"Reciprocity has been damned by false friends long enough," he declared. "It has been coddled in conventions and crucified in congress. It is time to unmask and to fight to win or to lose. If we lose we shall at least drive out of the shadows of concealment the cowards and traitors who have been skulking there."

The most significant change made in the platform after it had been formally presented to the convention was an explicit declaration for the principles of protection.

F. Reilbeck of Wisconsin said that "the farmer had been sucked long enough as the nurse cow to provide sustenance for protected manufacturing industry."

He deprecated the idea of one-man power to be given under the dual tariff rates, and advocated a general reduction of the schedules.

Other speakers Thursday were Edward Rosewater of Omaha, former Mayor W. C. Maybury of Detroit, A. B. Farguhar of Pennsylvania, S. F. Hower of Wisconsin, E. S. Lockridge of Indiana and a dozen delegates who made volunteer addresses.

### REDUCTION IN DUTIES.

Will Be Made by Russia on American Goods.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 18.—M. Witte soon will make an official announcement in America of a reduction by Russia in the duties on American machinery, tools, etc., which have been operative since 1901. Ambassador Meyer secured this concession after extended negotiations with the ministries of finance and foreign affairs.

Through Ambassador Meyer the United States proposes to Russia a commercial arrangement between the two countries, under Section 3 of the tariff act of 1897. This was agreed to and in anticipation of such an arrangement Russia decided upon the reduction.

### SMITH CHOSEN PRESIDENT.

South Dakota Man Head of Railway Commissioners.

Deadwood, S. D., Aug. 18.—The first business session of National Railway Commissioners' association was held Thursday. Discussion of the reports of the committees occupied the first session. The entire delegation went to Lead, where a business session was held and the following officers were elected: Dr. W. G. Smith, South Dakota, president; E. A. Mosley, Washington, secretary.

### Typos Go to Colorado Springs.

Toronto, Ont., Aug. 18.—The convention of the International Typographical union decided to meet in Colorado Springs next year. The eight hour committee completed its report, which endorses the eight-hour campaign being waged and recommends a strike on January 1, 1906, against employers who do not accept the new hours laid down by the union.

### White Bear Boats Win.

Oshkosh, Wis., Aug. 18.—Alpha of White Bear won the Class A race Thursday by a margin of four minutes and forty-five seconds. In Class B, Barracouta of White Bear was fouled by Pathfinder, who was disqualified. Barracouta was awarded first place, and that places her 42.9 points ahead of her nearest competitor, Priscilla of Council Bluffs.

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## A MARKET DAY FOR BRAINERD

Committee From the Commercial Club Met Last Night and Decided on the Date

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 2ND

Arrangements Made to Have Cattle Buyers Here to Represent Different Concerns

The committee on city, schools and county met last night and Chairman Henry I. Cohen announced this morning that full and complete arrangements have been made for a market day in Brainerd, when the farmers of Crow Wing county can bring in their stock and cattle and they will be given the highest market price for them.

A general market day has been established by this committee which will be on the first Saturday of each month. The first market day will be on Saturday, September 2.

The following statement is addressed to the farmers of the county by the Commercial Club:

"The Commercial Club of Brainerd announces to the farmers of this vicinity the establishment of a general market day on the first Saturday of each month.

"Arrangements are made to have cattle buyers at Brainerd on these days who will pay the highest market cash price for live stock. Ample room will be provided on the hay market for your stock. The object of this market day is for the purpose of affording the farmers of our county a suitable place to sell their produce and stock. Also to foster the breeding of a good grade of cattle, because it is a fact that the best breeders bring the highest prices. Every facility will be afforded the farmers to display their stock and care for them. Remember the day and do your part to co-operate with us to make this new departure a success."

The following letter has been received by the club from a well known live stock firm at South St. Paul:

"We are in receipt of your favor of the 14th and note contents of same. If you will let us know a few days previous what day you will have cattle brought in, we will send a man up there to buy them at every penny they are worth and pay the cash for them. We are in a position to ship them direct to feeders in the corn belt, thereby saving freight, yardage, commission and other expenses which a shipper to the market would incur, but I wish to say that you must not get the idea that cattle up there are high sellers as we have handled thousands of them from Northern Minnesota and know exactly what they are. Nevertheless they have a commercial value and as we said before, we will send a man up or one of us will come, but wish you would arrange to have it on Saturday as that is a quiet day here in the yards and we are very busy at this time of the year."

Another communication to the club says:

"Replying to your letter of the 11th inst., if you will let us know whenever you have any livestock to sell, think we can arrange to have someone go there from here to purchase it."

The business men and others in Brainerd have taken hold of this market day proposition with considerable enthusiasm and it is believed that the venture will be a success from the start. Farmers in Crow Wing county have contended that they have no market for their stock, but they will have no reason to complain from this source in the future. The day is set and the farmers can plan ahead. The hay market will be put in condition and ample room will be provided.

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## A LINEN SHOWER

Given Last Evening by Miss Adelaide Theviot in Honor of Miss May Irene Wilson

The Theviot home on North Broadway was the scene of a very pretty party last evening when Miss Adelaide gave a linen shower for Miss May Irene Wilson. About fifty ladies were present and spent a most enjoyable evening.

The house was very tastefully decorated. The dining room was in pink and white, sweet peas and pink ribbons being used most profusely. The library was gorgeous with the proud brown-eyed susans and the parlor was decked with tiger lilies.

Miss Wilson was the recipient of many and beautiful linen pieces, some accompanied by suggestive lines which the "bride-to-be" was forced to read for the assembled guests. Light refreshments were served in the dining room and frappe was dispensed from a nicely decorated corner of the porch. The lawn was most brilliant, being strewn with gayly colored electric lights.

Out-of-town guests present were Miss Helen Larkin and niece, of Quincy, Ill., Miss Jane Eastman, of Benton Harbor, Mich., and Miss Brannon, of Bemidji.

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## SUPERIOR FAILS TO MAKE GOOD

Former St. Cloud-Brainerd Team Starts Out Shy Salaries and Team Has Been Losing Proposition

Superior, which replaced St. Cloud-Brainerd in the Northern baseball league, is having troubles of its own says the Journal-Press. Edward Hammerel, who returned to St. Cloud recently from Two Harbors, spent a day in Superior, where he met the members of the team formerly under his control as traveling manager of the Twins. Members of the team told him that they had not been paid their last month's salaries and they left Superior last week for a trip around the circuit, basing their hopes of salaries on the receipts of the games at Fargo, Grand Forks and Winnipeg. DuLuth and Crookston have not had an attendance sufficient to warrant the belief that anything could be hoped for by the games played there by Superior. The attendance on the games played at Superior has been only normal and the team has been anything but a winner. When the franchise was transferred from St. Cloud-Brainerd to Superior, people familiar with conditions at the head of the lakes were unable to see how the change could prove a profitable one.

Quick Relief for Asthma Sufferers. Foley's Honey and Tar affords immediate relief to asthma sufferers in the worst stages and if taken in time will effect a cure. H. P. Dunn & Co. mwfwm

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On and after Monday Aug. 21 ladies will be admitted at the Roller Rink and furnished with skates at 15 cents either afternoon or evening session. 652f

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Babies' skin will be soft, fair and smooth if you give them Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea this month. It regulates the stomach and bowels. It makes the little ones sleep and grow. 35 cents. H. P. Dunn & Co.

## TEAM IS SELECTED TO GO TO SEA GIRT

Of the Twelve Members of the Team to Represent Minnesota Three of Them

ARE BRITTONS OF THIS CITY

They Will Participate in the National Shooting Event at Sea Girt on August 21

A dispatch from Lake City says that the following men were selected to represent Minnesota at the national rifle contest which will be held at Sea Girt, N. J., next week.

Lieutenant Clark, Co. C, First regiment; Sergeant Lang, Co. B, Second regiment; F. W. Britton, hospital corps, Third regiment; F. J. Britton, hospital corps, Third regiment; Fred Britton, hospital corps, Third regiment; Major Resch, Third regiment; Musician Simpson, Third regiment; Musician Price, Co. B, Third regiment; Sergeant Reinhardt, Co. C, Second regiment; Sergeant Bird, Co. C, Third regiment; Lieutenant Winton, Co. E, Second regiment; Private Comenski, Co. C, Second regiment; Adjutant Walk, First regiment; Captain Everett, Co. B, First regiment; Private Fitchette, Co. B, First regiment.

These men were selected on the basis of their average scores through the try-out which has been in progress the past week. With them will go Adjutant General Wood, team captain; Lieutenant Colonel Corriston, spotter and Sergeant Harper, ordinance sergeant.

The team will remain at Lake City for practice until Friday night when it will leave for Sea Girt. Before entering the contest the two men making the lowest average score in the shooting preliminary to the tournament will be named as alternates as there are fourteen men in the squad and the team number is twelve.

It is expected that there will be about 1,500 entries in the Sea Girt contest.

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## PLANNING A CELEBRATION

Members of Brainerd Lodge, B. P. O. E., Will Probably Celebrate Anniversary Of the Organization of Lodge

Usually August 23 of each year is a red letter day in Elk circles of Brainerd Lodge as it is the anniversary of the organization of the lodge. The members propose this year to make the event an interesting one and plans are being formulated to this end. In all probability there will be a session of some kind with the usual program of musical and literary numbers.

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One of the exciting events of the Minnesota State Fair this year will be the ladies' relay race, which will go on during the entire week—four miles a day for six days. Each rider will use four horses a day, changing at the end of each mile in front of the grand stand. Fleet horses and skilled riders from Montana and other western states have been entered. The fair is held during the entire week, Sept. 4-9. Half rates have been made by all railroads.

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## Interesting.

An event of exceptional interest is the future engagement at the opera house of "The Paraders," a musical in 2 acts. It is said that the instantaneous hit the piece made has led to the cancellation of many one-night stands in which it was booked so as to enable the manager to accept contracts offered in the larger cities. The engagement in this city will be kept as Manager Griffith has an iron-clad contract to this effect.

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**CONGER GOING TO CHINA.**

Will Try to Alay Agitation Against Use of American Goods.

Oyster Bay, Aug. 18.—Edwin H. Conger of Iowa, formerly United States minister to China, and since last April the American ambassador to Mexico, will return in the near future, if present plans are carried into effect, to China. His mission will be of a somewhat diplomatic nature, the specific purpose of which will be to ally, if possible, the agitation aroused in parts of the Chinese empire against the use by Chinese of American products.

Ambassador Conger, who has been scarcely more than three months at his new post in the City of Mexico, was summoned to the United States to confer with the president about the Chinese boycott of American goods. He had a long conference with the president Thursday. It is known that the ambassador will not return to Mexico and that arrangements are making for his projected mission to Peking.

Mr. Conger spent eight years in China as the American minister. He is well known and popular among the officials of the Peking government. Ambassador Conger's presence in China will not affect the position or the duties of W. W. Rockhill, the American minister. Ambassador Conger talked briefly in response to inquiries concerning his visit. He said he would not become a candidate for governor of Iowa and he expected to continue in the service of the government.

It is expected that Mr. Conger will be succeeded as American ambassador to Mexico by D. E. Thompson, who is now American ambassador to Brazil.

**Two Killed and One Injured.**

Norristown, Pa., Aug. 18.—Caught in a narrow and deep cut on the Trenton cutoff of the Pennsylvania railroad along which they were walking, Frank Gorman and his wife and his seventeen-year-old daughter, Lizzie, were run down by an express train Thursday night. Mr. and Mrs. Gorman were killed and the daughter was fatally injured.

**TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.**

A strike of 60,000 cotton operatives in Lancashire, Eng., for a 5 per cent advance in wages has been averted by a compromise.

At Denver, Kid Herman of Chicago outpointed Charley Neary of Milwaukee and won the decision in a ten-round bout Thursday night.

The parade of delegates, drill teams and marching clubs Thursday was the feature of the meeting of the Grand Aerie of the Fraternal Order of Eagles at Denver.

**PEACE PARLEY ODDITIES**

How They Pervade Diplomatic Atmosphere at Portsmouth.

**LITTLE OF GRAVITY OBSERVED.**

Four Envoys and Two Secretaries the Only Serious Persons—Others Simply Enjoying Themselves—M. Rodesvensky Goes Bathing Without His Monocle, Exciting Summer Girls—Witte's Dissipation Is Tea.

On the Wentworth hotel piazza at Portsmouth, N. H., with three pretty New York girls singing "Tam-a-nee-tam-a-nee" like April robins and two Russian attaches beating time with their diplomatic heels, settling a big war does not outwardly impress one as such a prodigiously serious affair, says a special dispatch from Portsmouth to the New York Herald. The perspective of distance must be had to bring out the gravity.

In this environment there is too much of the lighter stratum of humanity coming to the surface. The gentlemen of the foreign suits are altogether human in their love of amusement, and the pretty New England girls are bewitchingly human.

There are driving and dancing and swimming and a score of pleasurable things to be done, all of which irresistibly lead away from thoughts of sessions, indemnities and battle fields. The four envoys are serious men, and their daily conduct and the expression of their faces show how heavily the responsibility is weighing upon them. They, and possibly the two secretaries, know what is going on. With every one else there is nothing but speculation. Except that they are more closely acquainted with affairs of the far east the Russian and Japanese correspondents are no better informed concerning the proceedings of the conference room than the men representing the New York newspapers.

"It is a game of what you call wait for him and look some happiness," said a little Japanese correspondent the other morning, and his expression very well describes the situation.

The cordial and almost neighborly relations that are being established between the diplomats and the summer colony, particularly the younger members, are very gratifying to the Americans and just as agreeable to the visitors. A dozen times a day little things occur which set off a broadside of laughter on the verandas. Not long ago M. Adachi and M. Ochiai, two Japanese secretaries, were strolling down the driveway in front of the hotel. Coming along behind them were two small boys and a little girl, children of a Pittsburgh millionaire. They were riding bicycles and approached the secretaries unnoticed. They were riding with about the same abandon that the Roosevelt children fly around Sagamore Hill—hair flying, arms swinging and feet dangling. The secretaries walked on absorbed in their conversation about the conference when, directly behind them sang out an energetic little voice: "Clear the track there, Baron Shoot the Shoots. I'll run right over you!"

The secretaries made a quick move, but turned out on the wrong side, and thump went the bicycle against their legs. Off rolled the girl and one of the boys, M. Ochiai, with profuse bowing and apologies, tried to help the little girl to her seat. With curt American bluntness she pushed away from him. "Get out, you old thing! Why don't you walk on the grass?" she exclaimed as she hopped on her wheel and dashed away, hurling back a cloud of dust in the diplomat's face. That pleased the Japanese immensely. A burst of laughter echoed from the hotel, and the two secretaries lifted their hats, first to the audience and then to the retreating figures of the children.

M. Witte and Baron Rosen are keeping more closely to their rooms since the actual business of the conference began and have mingled with the crowd very little during the last few days. Younger members of the Russian delegation appear at night and particularly when there is dancing in the big ballroom. M. Pokotiloff, Russian minister to Peking, and M. Rodesvensky are very good dancers—in fact, the most graceful men at the hotel—and have become ballroom favorites. The Japanese do not dance, but they are seen every night standing by the great windows that look in upon the floor watching the others.

Since the extreme hot weather descended upon Newcastle the big swimming pool a few yards from the hotel has become a popular retreat, and thence flock a larger part of the fashionables every morning. In swimming as well as in dancing the Russians are more expert than the Japanese. M. Rodesvensky wears a large monocle, which caused considerable amusement among the gilding contingent of the summer girls the first night he appeared. The other morning it was announced that M. Rodesvensky was putting on a bathing suit, and in a jiffy there was a swarm of girls, all in their prettiest bathing attire, at the pool to see if the handsome Russian would really wear his funny little eyeglass when he dived.

He did not. He sauntered down to the pool without it, asked a young man about the depth of the water and then created a commotion in the water like that of a huge sturgeon when it leaps to the surface for air. Such aquatic antics the Wentworth swimming pool had never seen. He swam backward and forward with his feet,

with his hands, under the water and on the surface, floated and dived until it made the summer girls dizzy to watch him. M. Witte and Baron Rosen take no part in these pastimes. They dine together at a small table in a small room in the Russian quarters. There they may chat and smoke cigarettes as they please.

Smoking is not allowed in the public dining room, and that was one of the reasons why the two distinguished Russians decided to have their meals privately. They must have their cigarettes, and they must have their gossip meantime. With the Japanese it is quite different. Including Baron Komura, they come into the public dining room in pairs and singly and sit anywhere the head waiter chooses to place them. While eating they are always silent and are confirmed smokers, like the Russians.

M. Witte is unquestionably the most popular member of the distinguished party with the summer colony and is regarded with more serious attention than the others. For all that, he is really the most democratic of the four principals and appear absolutely unimpressed of the attention bestowed upon him.

When the big automobiles and tally-hos leave with the envoys and their secretaries for the navy yard in the morning, everybody is out to see them off. The occasion bubbles over with good nature and good fellowship, not at all unlike the scene of departure of a coaching party from one of the New York hotels where a group of acquaintances is assembled. The secretaries go in the tally-hos and the four envoys in automobiles. Baron Komura and Minister Takahira get away without much ado. With the same impassiveness each morning they appear in their long frock coats and tall hats, the baron always walking a little in advance. As they step into the automobile they are cheered cordially and the salute is courteously acknowledged with that same jerky bow from the hips that all the Japanese have.

Then comes M. Witte, massive and smiling, his heavy cane thumping across the piazza, bowing in whichever direction comes the loudest cheer. Grouped about him on the lawn and the veranda are scores of girls in deliciously cool shirt waists and as many men in duck and striped flannels. Cameras by the dozen click around the circle. The women wave their handkerchiefs and the men clap their hands and shout cheery greetings. Occasionally a quartet or sextet or girls surprises the big Russian with a pleasant little parody on "Tammammy" or some of the popular songs of the day. And these chips of song service are always complimentary to him. He doesn't understand the words, but he knows they are friendly and his broad face lights up with an approving smile. Deliberately he climbs into the automobile, still lifting his hat and bowing as the big machine whizzes toward the navy yard.

Cigarettes and tea are M. Witte's only convivial indulgences. He drinks very little wine, but tea he must have. No sooner is he seated in a comfortable nook of the palm garden than he calls up his servant and sends for hot water. The brew is looked after by M. Witte himself. Such tea as Americans use is not at all to the taste of the Russian. When the hot water has been produced and the little silver pot set steaming M. Witte is happy. Again and again the servant pours out the hot beverage until M. Witte, with a kindly gesture, says, "Chayu nelt," meaning no more tea. The teapot and hot water are removed and M. Witte's dissipation ends.

Those of the Japanese who are now in America for the first time are cautiously investigating all that is American. At the table they order all the dishes new to them, but make no comment as to whether or not they are suited. Rye whisky they openly pronounce something to be discarded. Scotch they are accustomed to and fond of, but rye they say "makes you to gasp."

Romance is getting a foothold here among the dashing attaches and the pretty young women, and unless all gossips are groundless exclusive social circles both in New York and Boston may soon have something really interesting to talk about. Commander Isham Takeshita, Japanese naval attaché at Washington, has completely captivated the summer girls.

On days when the conference is in session the military attaches appear in uniform and have quite eclipsed the Russian in making acquaintances among the fair sex. With the same charming freedom that they would chat with boys from West Point or Annapolis the young women sit through the summer evenings on the piazzas prattling musical nonsense in the ears of the Japanese officers, who appear to enter into the spirit of the moment with keen enjoyment. Many of the summer girls declare that the Russians are too sedate and serious, so they prefer the society of the Japanese.

**A Rabbit That Telegraphs.**

Jack rabbit telegraph operators are a possibility of the future if the experiments conducted by N. S. Davies of St. Paul, Minn., are successful. At the beginning of the operators' strike on the Great Northern and Northern Pacific roads Davies was struck with the possibility of training his two trick rabbits to "handle the keys," says a St. Paul dispatch to the Chicago Tribune. He fitted up a "dummy" set of instruments and proceeded to teach his pets the Morse alphabet. The rabbit recently accomplished the achievement of sending the word "Jack" half a dozen times without coaching. Davies will work with the rabbit and hopes by the end of the season to have the pet trained to rattle off the keys at a rate which will make the striking operators green with envy.

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**WORK ON THE PANAMA CANAL.**

Will Not Be Stopped for Lack of Funds for Some Time.

Washington, Aug. 18.—One of the most important tasks awaiting Mr. Shonts when he assumed the presidency of the Isthmian canal commission was the conservation of the balance remaining of the appropriation of \$10,000,000 so as to guard against a stoppage of the work of canal building. Calling to his aid several expert accountants the exact state of the finances of the commission was ascertained and it was found that the work could be steadily prosecuted until congress at the next regular session should have ample opportunity to provide more funds. Therefore, the balance on hand was divided into monthly allotments, which has so far been closely adhered to save in one case where an unexpected demand arose for additional transportation facilities. Thus the commission has, it believes, avoided the necessity of availing itself of the privileges granted by congress of issuing bonds to meet expenditures.

There is more catarrh in this section of the country than at all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by druggists, 75c.

**MARKET QUOTATIONS.**

**Minneapolis Wheat.**  
Minneapolis, Aug. 17.—Wheat—Sept., 86½c; Dec., 84½c; May, 87½c. On track—No. 1 hard, \$1.08½; No. 1 Northern, \$1.06½; No. 2 Northern, \$1.04½.

**Duluth Wheat and Flax.**  
Duluth, Aug. 17.—Wheat—To arrive—New No. 1 Northern, 90½c; No. 2 Northern, 89½c; Sept. (old), 86½c; Sept. (new), 82½c. Flax—To arrive, \$1.20; on track, \$1.45; Aug., \$1.20; Dec., \$1.12½.

**St. Paul Union Stock Yards.**  
St. Paul, Aug. 17.—Cattle—Good to choice steers, \$4.50@5.00; common to fair, \$2.75@4.25; good to choice cows and heifers, \$2.00@3.75; veals, \$2.00@5.00. Hogs—\$5.75@6.05. Sheep—Yearlings, \$1.50@5.75; good to choice native lambs, \$5.00@6.00.

**Chicago Union Stock Yards.**  
Chicago, Aug. 17.—Cattle—Good to prime steers, \$4.00@6.10; poor to medium, \$4.00@5.25; stockers and feeders, \$2.25@4.00; cows and heifers, \$2.00@5.00; calves, \$2.00@6.60. Hogs—Mixed and butchers, \$5.75@6.20; good to choice heavy, \$5.00@6.15; light, \$5.75@6.25. Sheep—Good to choice wethers, \$4.00@5.50; Western sheep, \$4.00@5.40; native lambs, \$5.25@7.75; Western, \$6.00@7.50.

**Chicago Grain and Provisions.**

Chicago, Aug. 17.—Wheat—Aug., 82c; Sept., 82½c; Dec., 84½c; May, 86½c. Corn—Sept., 53c; Dec., 44½c; May, 44½c. Oats—Aug., 25½c; Sept., 26c; Dec., 27c; May, 28c. Pork—Sept., \$14.32½; Oct., \$14.40; Jan., \$13.15. Lard—Cash, Northwestern, \$1.16; Southwestern, \$1.06. Butter—Creameries, 17@20c; dairies, 16@18c. Eggs—12½@15c. Poultry—Turkeys, 15c; chickens, 11c; springs, 13½c.

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Larson Mrs. P. 655 Cass St.  
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3:00.....Hubert.....11:25	3:15.....Pequot.....11:25
3:15.....Pequot.....11:25	3:25.....Jenkins.....10:58
3:25.....Jenkins.....10:58	3:36.....Pine River.....10:48
3:45.....Milled.....10:37	3:57.....Backus.....10:28
4:18.....Hackensack.....10:07	4:45.....Walker.....9:58
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5:26.....Guhrle.....8:53	5:37.....Nary.....8:43
5:51.....Mississippi.....7:53	6:26.....Turtle River.....7:48
6:40.....Farley.....7:38	6:51.....Blackduck.....7:10
7:10.....Blackduck.....7:10	7:25.....Punkley.....6:55
7:30 P. M.....Haupt.....6:49 A. M.	7:50 P. M.....Ar. Northome.....Lv. 6:50 A. M.
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